

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for one's fellow man; and,

Whereas, In 1970, Lynn D. Kolund began his career as a member of the United States Navy where he served as a fire control technician on board several ships. Upon leaving military service, Lynn graduated from Colorado State University obtaining his Bachelor of Science degree in Forest Biology; and,

Whereas, Lynn began his career with the United States Forest Service in 1976, and he furthered his career as a pre-sale forester on the Bearlodge District of the Black Hills National Forest. Throughout Lynn career, he served as a pre-sale forester, Silviculturist, Forester, Vegetation Unit Leader, District Staff Officer, Acting District Ranger, Public Affairs Officer, Recreation Specialist, and District Ranger; and,

Whereas, Lynn devoted over 37 years of service to the United States Forest Service by ensuring the Nation's forests and grasslands meet the needs of present and future generations. On June 3, 2013, Lynn is retiring; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on the occasion of his retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 3, 2013, as

LYNN D. KOLUND DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his colleagues, friends, and family as they recognize Lynn for his commitment to a successful career and extend best wishes for a healthy and happy retirement.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fourteenth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Thirteen.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant
Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State